



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 19UN026

Project Name: The “**Mulroak Island ATON Tower Decommission**” project
Proponent Name: Fisheries and Oceans Canada - Canadian Coast Guard (DFO-CCG)
Project Type: Site Clean-up/Remediation Region: Kitikmeot Region
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No: 125465
Comment Deadline: **May 27, 2019**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Mulroak Island ATON Tower Decommission” project is located within the Kitikmeot Region, approximately 155 kilometres (km) from Cambridge Bay. The Proponent intends to decommission a redundant Canadian Coast Guard (CCG) Aid to Navigation land mark tower. The program is proposed to take place in one day, between August and September 2019. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Use of the CCG vessel *Sir Wilfrid Laurier* as a platform for workers to access Mulroak Island;
- Use of a CCG helicopter (Bell 429) to fly to and from Mulroak Island to transport personnel, tools and material between the vessel and the island;
- Use of power saws and other various hand tools to disassemble the Daymark tower and related components; and
- Following dismantling of the tower, site will be cleaned thoroughly and restored back to its natural habitat as much as possible.

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **19UN026** to access all project information, maps, and public comment forms.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

You are invited to provide the NIRB with your comments regarding whether the proposed project is:

- likely to arouse significant public concern and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse ecosystemic or socio-economic effects and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse impacts on wildlife habitat or Inuit harvest activities and, if so, why;
- a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and can be prevented/managed appropriately with known technology.

Parties are also invited to recommend any specific mitigation measures they feel would be appropriate, and to bring any other matter of importance related to this project proposal to the NIRB’s attention.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The NIRB has recently launched an updated online public registry, and parties can access project information as well as submit comments directly to the NIRB via www.nirb.ca. Comments can still be submitted directly to the NIRB via email at info@nirb.ca or via fax to **(867) 983-2594**.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the proposed project or the NIRB’s screening process, please contact Mia Otokiak, Junior Technical Advisor toll-free at 1-866-233-3033 or motokiak@nirb.ca.